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Four Races On Grand Circuit Card Tuesday

TOLEDO, O., July 22.—With the track in what is said to be excellent condition, the second of the grand circuit harness meetings will get under way this afternoon at Port Miami.

There are four races on the day's card, consisting of the 2:11 trot for \$10,000; 2:00 pace, \$10,000; the Maumee, for 2:06 trotters, purse \$1,000; and the Cresceus, open to all two-year-old trotters, for a purse of \$1,000.

There are eight starters in the 2:11 trot, 12 in the 2:00 pace, eight in the Maumee and seven in the colt event. The meeting opened yesterday with an attendance of more than 8,000.

Roy Ellam Goes To St. Louis To Get Players

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 22.—Roy Ellam, manager of the Nashville baseball team, is in St. Louis today in search of new players, a first baseman, pitcher, outfielder and possibly an infielder.

TILDEN STARS.

William T. Tilden, Jr., of Philadelphia seems to be doing a kind of triumphal procession around the eastern section of the country winning tennis matches. In his various games he has beaten Kumagata, the Japanese expert, five times this year. He also has won from Murray in an exhibition match.

The Dead

Mrs. Nancy J. Chandler.
HUNTINGDON, Tenn., July 22. (Sp.)—Mrs. Nancy Jane Chandler was buried yesterday at Marlboro, her death having occurred the day before from spinal tuberculosis. She lived in the 23d district, was 68 years old and was a member of the Baptist church. She is survived by eight children.

Rochester Christian.
HUNTINGDON, Tenn., July 22. (Sp.)—Rochester Christian, of the Mount Zion community, is dead after an illness of about three weeks from spinal tuberculosis. He had never completely regained his health after a case of influenza in January, but had recovered sufficiently to attend to business. He was 32 years old and had been a member of the Methodist church for about 20 years. He was married about a year ago to Miss Ella Butler, of Benita, and survived by his wife, his father, W. N. Christian, three brothers, Leon, Lester and William, Christian, and one sister, Mrs. Warner W. Moore. The burial occurred at Humble's graveyard after appropriate funeral services conducted by his pastor, Rev. D. B. Rawlins.

Mrs. Callie Newbill.
HUNTINGDON, Tenn., July 22. (Sp.)—Mrs. Callie Newbill, widow of Nathaniel Newbill, died Sunday at her home in McMinnville, nine miles southeast of Huntingdon, after a lingering illness from the incident to old age. She was about 71 years old and a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. John Harvey, of Missouri; Mrs. Juddie Montgomery, of Lexington; and Mrs. Florence Carter, of McMinnville, with whom she lived at the time of her death, and two step-children, Mrs. Dollie Williamson and Tom Newbill. The funeral was held Monday afternoon at the McMinnville cemetery after funeral services conducted by her pastor, Rev. Buck, of Alwood.

Dr. Charles B. Gersinger.
COVINGTON, Tenn., July 22. (Sp.)—News has been received of the death in Cement, Okla., of Dr. Charles B. Gersinger, formerly a prominent dental surgeon of Macon, this country. He is survived by his widow and one daughter.

Coleman Herring.
COVINGTON, Tenn., July 22. (Sp.)—Coleman Herring, son of David Herring, of the Macon vicinity, died Saturday and was buried in Cedar Hill cemetery funeral services being conducted by Rev. W. F. Maxted.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lloyd.
COVINGTON, Tenn., July 22. (Sp.)—Mrs. Elizabeth Lloyd, aged 75 years, died at her home in the Old Tipton neighborhood, this county, Saturday. Interment was in Old Bethel cemetery, after funeral services at the grave conducted by Rev. J. A. Hassell, of Mounford.

Miss Lula Fry.
COVINGTON, Tenn., July 22. (Sp.)—Miss Lula Fry, aged 50 years, died very suddenly at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. C. Hathaway, in this city, Sunday morning. Burial was made in Munford cemetery Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, after funeral services conducted by Rev. R. A. Clark, of the First Methodist church.

Mrs. Sallie Fulghum.
NEWBERN, Tenn., July 22. (Sp.)—Mrs. Sallie Fulghum, age 85 years, died at her home Sunday, after a long illness of Newbern after an illness of a long duration. The deceased was a member of the Methodist church.

Evelyn Tune.
PONTOTOC, Miss., July 22. (Sp.)—Evelyn, the ten-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Tune, died at their home here Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, and was buried in the local cemetery the following afternoon.

Mabel Brown.
PONTOTOC, Miss., July 22. (Sp.)—Mabel, the two and a half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Lee Brown, of the Pontotoc vicinity, died of colitis last Friday night, after a few days sickness.

Wesley Gray.
JONESBORO, Ark., July 22. (Sp.)—Wesley Gray, age 11 years, died at St. Bernard's hospital Sunday morning of typhoid fever.

B. R. Hutchinson.
GREENWOOD, Miss., July 22. (Sp.)—B. R. Hutchinson died Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the King's Daughters hospital. The remains were sent to Little Rock yesterday and the funeral was held Tuesday morning.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

PITCHERS' RECORDS.

Pitcher	W.	L.	H.	R.	P.
Dubuc, N. Y.	4	0	23	24	1.000
Carter, Chi.	3	0	28	7	1.000
Rusther, N. Y.	17	10	2	30	.831
Mitchell, Brk.	8	1	44	17	.800
Causey, N. Y.	10	8	31	47	.559
Sallee, Cin.	12	9	20	25	.529
Barnes, N. Y.	11	11	41	47	.523
Adams, Pitt.	10	11	35	40	.500
Eller, Cin.	21	12	5	118	.500
Lugue, Cin.	17	7	22	30	.700
Toney, N. Y.	7	2	24	18	.667
Bailey, Chi.	10	2	20	8	.667
Benton, N. Y.	9	5	39	38	.643
Cudore, N. Y.	9	5	19	36	.625
Mayer, Pitt.	14	5	3	93	.625
Douglass, Chi.	23	8	127	51	.600
Goodwin, St. L.	10	7	107	42	.591
Fisher, Cin.	17	7	9	46	.583
Vaughn, Chi.	12	9	154	43	.571
Grimes, Brk.	16	6	104	48	.569
Cooper, Pitt.	17	8	71	47	.553
Preifer, Brk.	12	8	81	37	.523
Rudolph, Bos.	8	2	37	18	.500
Doak, St. L.	7	7	27	49	.500
Tuero, St. L.	29	8	104	54	.500
Alexander, Pitt.	9	2	37	18	.500
Mannix, Brk.	15	4	69	33	.500
Marquard, Brk.	8	3	33	17	.500
Marlin, Chi.	18	3	21	30	.500
Ring, Cin.	15	3	34	23	.500
Scott, Bos.	10	3	47	23	.500
Carlinen, Phi.	10	1	40	19	.500
Tyler, Chi.	6	2	19	8	.500
Berrett, N. Y.	10	1	23	19	.500
Wesley, Pitt.	16	7	102	49	.500
Hendrix, Chi.	17	5	106	35	.455
Packard, Phila.	13	4	50	45	.444
Hamilton, Pitt.	16	8	112	51	.444
Demaree, Bos.	3	4	21	27	.423
Miller, Pitt.	16	5	79	29	.417
Nehf, Bos.	18	9	119	58	.400
Jacobs, Phila.	17	8	149	65	.400
McQuillen, Bos.	2	3	34	19	.400
Walton, Phila.	8	2	30	18	.400
Ames, St. L.	16	2	42	28	.383
Meadows, St. L.	4	4	58	44	.308
Keating, Bos.	12	8	108	50	.308
May, St. L.	18	2	61	36	.250
S. Smith, Brk.	13	6	82	25	.250
Sheridan, St. L.	14	8	114	58	.250
Northern, Bos.	11	3	42	21	.250
Bressler, Chi.	11	3	31	15	.250
Ragan, N. Y.	5	3	32	23	.250
Cheney, Bos.	13	1	4	56	.200
Q. Smith, Phila.	20	4	111	148	.148
Riley, Phila.	10	1	6	32	.148

TEAM BATTING.

Team	W.	L.	H.	R.	P.
New York	49	228	229	640	70
Brooklyn	37	252	258	680	57
Cincinnati	34	241	211	620	40
St. Louis	33	242	257	620	21
Boston	20	249	280	696	75
Philadelphia	24	250	290	730	29
Pittsburgh	24	237	262	597	109
Chicago	25	248	257	614	85

TEAM FIELDING.

Team	W.	L.	H.	R.	P.
Cincinnati	49	228	229	640	70
Pittsburgh	38	247	266	90	969
Chicago	42	233	193	105	968
St. Louis	44	201	188	104	964
Brooklyn	37	250	190	115	963
New York	46	218	101	110	963
Philadelphia	29	47	181	226	110
St. Louis	29	44	195	110	126

THORPE TO COACH.

Jim Thorpe, hailed as the world's greatest athlete, has been named to coach the football team at the University of Oklahoma. He is now an outfielder on George Stallings' Braves, is considered as the next best thing to a coach, and has been named to the place once held by Charley Brickey.

Jack Vitter, former Texas league umpire, is a new one in the Western league. Vitter made a good reputation in Texas and even was considered some time back for a major league berth, but got out for some reason or other not stated. He'll get by in the West-ern if he does as well as he knows how.

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MARRIAGES

Lashley-Goodman.
NEWBERN, Tenn., July 22. (Sp.)—Leon Lashley, of Yorkville, and Miss May Goodman, of Newville, Gibson county, were married Sunday afternoon.

Massey-Johnston.
GREENWOOD, Miss., July 22. (Sp.)—Miss Lillian McWille Johnston, daughter of late Capt. and Mrs. W. E. Johnston, was united in marriage Sunday in this city to C. F. Massey, of Auburn, N. Y. The wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barwell and the ceremony was performed by Dr. L. W. Rose, pastor of the Episcopal church.

Chappell-Schamberger.
COLUMBUS, Miss., July 22. (Sp.)—Andrew J. Chappell and Miss Isabel Schamberger, both of Pickens county, were married here yesterday, the ceremony having been performed by Justice of the Peace T. M. Cummings.

Fancher-Barrentine.
GREENWOOD, Miss., July 22. (Sp.)—Miss Carrie Lee Barrentine, of Carroll county and J. B. Fancher, of near Greenwood, were united in marriage in this city Sunday. The ceremony was performed at 1 o'clock at the home of Rev. J. J. Hughes. The young couple will make their home in this city.

RIGHT OFF THE BAT

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 22.—Little Rock made it two straight from New Orleans by winning yesterday's game 8 to 7 in a free hitting contest in which both Karr and Weaver were knocked out of the box. Little Rock won in the eighth on triples by Prier-son and Distel.

Yesterday's game was the third in as many days credited as a victory for Robinson, who went in the box in the eighth after New Orleans had tied the score.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 22.—Not held. Birmingham hiters until the seventh inning yesterday afternoon when he became upset in the face of poor support and gave up an earned run, Birmingham winning 5 to 1. Crews was strong with men on bases. The hitting of Neusel featured.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 22.—Atlanta's ability to hit Heffner and Lankenshaw and Nashville's failure to run out infield hits enabled Atlanta to take both games of a double-header here yesterday afternoon, the scores being 7 to 3 in the first game and 3 to 1 in the second.

Heffner pitched the first game for the locals and for seven innings held Atlanta scoreless. However, in the seventh inning he gave up a sacrifice hit and four singles, two doubles and a three-bagger enabled Atlanta to score seven runs. Surge held the Nats safe in all but the ninth inning when Meyer walked and scored on Burke's home run. McDonald followed Burke with another home run, both hits bouncing into the negro bleachers in left field.

In the second game a base on balls and two hits enabled the Cracker to score two runs and another was added in the third on Danard's double, a base on balls and Meyer's single. Nashville scored in the sixth on Burke's double, an infield out and Danard's single. Both Thorburn and Lankenshaw were touched for eight hits.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
CLEVELAND, July 22.—Cleveland registered a victory over Philadelphia yesterday, 7 to 1, it being the third straight win under the management of Speaker. Cleveland knocked Rogers out of the box and found Johnson no puzzle.

CHICAGO, July 22.—Chicago made it three straight from New York yesterday by winning both games of a double-header, 7 to 6 and 5 to 4. Kerr, who went in as a relief pitcher in each contest, was credited with winning both games. The locals hit Shawkey hard in the first game and continued the assault against Russell in the second.

ST. LOUIS, July 22.—Successful use of the squeeze play and base running by Sisler enabled St. Louis to win yesterday's game from Washington 5 to 4. Three of the local runs were accounted for by the squeeze. Sisler stole third and home in the sixth.

DETROIT, July 22.—By bunching hits and taking advantage of Boston's two errors and Ruth's gifts of bases on balls, Detroit won yesterday 8 to 2. In the ninth inning Ruth made his eighth career hit, a home run, and the ball over the right field fence for the longest hit ever made at Navin field.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
BOSTON, July 22.—Boston's single in the 13th inning scored Maranville with the run that won for Boston, 4 to 3, here yesterday. St. Louis made five runs off Demaree in the first, largely due to a home run by Heathcote with two on bases.

YANKS SET RECORD.

The Yankees established what is believed to be a major league record in the seventh inning of a recent game, when they made three home runs. Peck, the first man up hit into the left field stands, and then Baker hit into the right field stands. Ping Bodie, not to be outdone, cracked one into the left field stands, scoring Duffy Lewis who was on second base at the time. In the old days sluggers have made four home runs in a game, but no records show that three were made in the same inning.

Pete Adams, first baseman, who quit Oklahoma City and went to his home in Fort Smith because of some fancied grievance, made it up with Jack Holland and returned to his station after a few days' absence.

Johnny Jones, infielder, and Fred Hoffman, catcher, just out of the navy, have reported to the New York Yankees.

NOTICE!

1919 City Taxpayers

ONLY A SHORT TIME REMAINS BEFORE TAXES ARE DELINQUENT. PAY YOUR TAXES NOW AND AVOID THE RUSH.

J. H. Hessen,
CITY TREASURER.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

PITCHING RECORDS.

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PITCHING RECORDS.		W. L. Pct. H. R.			
Nelson, N. Y.	8	3	0	1,000	25
Coube, Cleve.	6	1	0	1,000	20
Cleffie, Chi.	15	7	4	810	144
Sothern, St. L.	19	11	4	733	96
C. Williams, Chi.	22	15	5	1,064	147
Covaleskie, Cleve.	12	5	1,064	147	49
Thornhill, N. Y.	16	7	3	700	84
Quinn, N. Y.	20	11	5	688	114
Uhl, Brk.	17	9	2	647	105
Shawkey, N. Y.	23	13	7	650	108
Bagby, Cleve.	18	11	6	647	141
Ruth, Bos.	10	6	2	657	77
Shaw, Wash.	22	12	7	632	152
Johnson, Wash.	23	13	8	619	141
Walton, St. L.	14	8	5	615	108
Phelps, Det.	19	11	7	611	152
Dausa, Det.	17	9	6	600	126
Buzman, Cleve.	19	12	5	590	87
Phillips, Cleve.	13	3	600	52	21
Love, Det.	19	3	600	52	21
Jasper, Cleve.	8	3	2	600	47
Faber, Chi.	16	4	571	106	52
Kerr, Chi.	16	4	3	571	89
Caldwell, Bos.	16	5	4	558	82
Roland, Det.	18	8	5	550	109
Gale, St. L.	13	7	5	550	150
Pennock, Bos.	16	5	5	500	115
Koob, St. L.	20	2	2	500	64
Buzman, Cleve.	19	2	500	67	23
Danforth, Chi.	13	1	1	500	52
Cunham, Det.	10	1	1	500	52
Mitchell, Det.	3	1	1	1,000	11
Morton, Cleve.	18	7	8	447	108
Koob, St. L.	20	2	2	500	64
Shore, N. Y.	12	5	4	444	80
Jones, Bos.	16	7	9	438	113
Johnson, Wash.	23	13	8	438	113
Leonard, St. L.	18	3	4	429	68
Erickson, Wash.	8	3	4	429	68
Kim, Phil.	14	3	3	429	57
Kim, Phil.	14	4	6	400	69
Woodrum, Chi.	16	2	2	400	52
Haye, Cleve.	15	3	8	375	108
Harmon, Wash.	16	4	11	287	151
Schold, Phil.	15	3	10	250	158
Harmon, Wash.	16	3	10	250	158
Davenport, St. L.	14	3	8	200	81
Meyers, Cleve.	16	2	8	183	108
Harmon, Wash.	16	3	10	183	108
Morgridge, N. Y.	16	1	8	140	108